

Classified Ads

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FOR RENT—ROOMS

FOR RENT—Two furnished and one unfurnished modern houses. H. M. Landis, Rahike Bldg. 78-1-pd

FOR RENT—Three unfurnished rooms. Inquire at 225 Woodworth ave. 78-1-p

FOR RENT—Office rooms in the Pollasky Block. Call F. E. Pollasky. 77-tf-c

FOR RENT—HOUSES

FOR RENT—Modern house on 616 College st. Garage in connection. Inquire Mrs. John Murphy. 78-1-p

FOR RENT—Modern house, close in on paved street. V. H. Shepard. phone 408. 78-1-c

FOR SALE—CITY PROPERTY

FOR SALE—1 new 6-room house with bath and full size basement. All modern. Easy terms if taken at once. Inquire at 129 Valley ave. 78-4-c

FOR SALE—FARM PROPERTY

FOR SALE—A 40 acre farm with good house, barn, and outbuildings, good location 6 1/2 miles north of Carson City, 3 miles northwest of New Haven center, 4 miles east of Crystal, 1 mile from school. Price \$2,500. Inquire of Mrs. Angeline Markes, 236 Ely st., Alma, Mich. 78-2-p

HELP WANTED

WANTED—Woman to do general housework at county farm. Good wages, steady employment. Lee Raycraft, Ithaca, R. 6, Union phone. 78-tf-c

WANTED—Young married man for pleasant outdoor work 52 weeks in the year, in Alma, St. Louis, and Mt. Pleasant. Write Box 235, Alma. 78-1-p

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Small family. Mrs. Estella Moore, 815 State st. 78-1-p

WANTED—Reliable middle aged woman for general housework in small family. Steady place. A good home for the right person. Address Box 21, North Star. 78-tf-c

WANTED—A girl for general housework. Inquire at Record office. 77-tf-c

WANTED—A woman to do house cleaning. Call Hayward at City Hall. 126-2R 76-1-c

WANTED—Healthy women of good character to take 18 month nurses training course. Salary for the period \$450.00. Earning capacity on completing the course \$25.00 per week. Apply at Record office. 67-tf-c

WANTED—Clerks (men, women) over 17, for Postal Mail Service. \$125 month. Experience unnecessary. For free particulars, of examination, write R. Terry, former Civil Service Examiner, 735 Continental Bldg., Washington, D. C. 77-2-p

WANTED—Salesman for out of town work, steady work. Inquire of the W. & H. Walker Co., 422 E. Downie St. 77-2-p

WANTED—Several men at once. An exceptional opportunity for advancement. Address C. Morgan Barstow, Suite 2 Pollasky Bldg., Alma, or telephone No. 26, Ithaca, Mich. 41-tf-c

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—Second hand furniture at 218 W. Superior st. 78-tf-c

WANTED—To hear from owner of good farm for sale. State cash price, full description. D. F. Bush, Minneapolis, Minn. 78-2-c

WANTED—To rent a small farm of from 40 to 80 acres on shares. Inquire phone 194-R3. 78-1-p

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Between Alma and the Wright school, an Elgin wrist watch with name and date on back. Finder leave at Record office. Reward. 78-1-p

LOST OR STOLEN—A light weight black robe with checkered rubber lining, somewhere between Second ave. by the way of State and Superior sts. to St. Louis. Finder will please leave same at this office and receive reward. 77-2-p

LOST—A long black velvet scarf with tan satin lining. Finder call 76-2L-2S. Reward. 78-1-c

LOST—A black and tan hound. Collar around neck with short chain attached. Answers to name of Sport. Return to Mina Nevells, 201 Orchard street, 373-3 rings. 72-2-c

LOST—Between Superior Barber shop and K. P. Hall, a child's neck scarf, brown with white ends. Return to Mrs. E. Chapman, 617 Hannah St., phone 364. 78-1-c

FOUND—A sum of money. Owner can have same by proving property and paying for this notice. Mrs. Will Hurst, 1316 Michigan Ave. 78-1-c

FOUND—An English setter, color lemon and white, wearing chain collar. Came to my place the latter part of last week. Owner can have same by paying charges and proving property. Mrs. Addis Schiek. 78-tf-c

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS

FOR SALE—Vose and Sons piano, excellent condition. Price reasonable. Call phone 422. 78-2-p

FOR SALE—A fox and blue tick hound six months old. Inquire at 225 Woodworth ave. 78-1-p

FOR SALE—Empire Peninsula hard coal stove, No. 517, nearly new. Cheap for quick sale. Call lat Elwell Garage. 77-tf-2p

FOR SALE—One 490 Chevrolet winter top and one foxhound 1 1/2 years old, also sixty gallon gas drum. Call noon or evening at 417 Euclid ave. 78-1-p

FOR SALE—Auto tires. Did you know that we are selling our tires at cost and less. If you want a tire, come and see us first. Shreeve & Buecanning. 217 W. Superior St. 77-tf-c

FOR SALE—Wood and kindling at 218 W. Superior St. R. Burrell, Phone 715, quick delivery. 77-tf-c

FOR SALE—Holstein Bulls—breeding up to 39 lbs. L. Pritchard, Elwell, Mich. 77-2-p

FOR SALE—Alfalfa hay Inquire Fred Kunkler, R. 4. Phone 123-2R. 77-2-p

FOR SALE—Gold fish, globe, casters and food. Mrs. S. Wright, 218 Valley Ave., phone 727. 77-2-p

FOR SALE—Choice apples. Waggers, Kings and Steele's Red—handpicked \$1.00 per bushel delivered. Telephone 405-18-1L. Matt Lentz. 77-3-p

FOR SALE—Ferrets, at 808 Pine Ave., Alma, Mich. Charles E. Shaffer. 75-4-p

FOR SALE—Apples. We have several varieties from 75 cents to \$1.00 per bushel delivered. Discount if you come after apples. Phone No. 405-2L-15 W. E. Bartley. 76-tf-c

FOR SALE—Ford touring car in fine running shape, good tires, \$150 takes it. Shreeve & Buecanning, 217 W. Superior St. 77-1-c

FOR SALE—For the purpose of improving the standard of the poultry flocks we will offer fancy Indiana bred barred Rocks and Rhode Island Reds, young cockerels for sale at cost. Inquire Swift & Co., Alma. 78-1-c

FOR SALE—An American radiator hot water boiler, 700 capacity suitable for six or seven room house. It is in good condition and will be sold cheap because it is being replaced by a larger boiler. Call at Record office or at 312 Maple ave. 66-tf-c

MISCELLANEOUS

NOTICE—Try the new laundry. All work guaranteed. 218 W. Superior street, phone 715, 3 R. 78-tf-c

NOTICE—Public stenographer, No. 16 Pollasky Bldg. Hours 8 to 12 and 1 to 5. 78-1-p

NOTICE—If you want a nice dressed turkey, spring chicken or duck for Xmas call Mrs. John Bush, phone 529-1L-2S. 78-2-p

NOTICE—Wonderful opportunities selling Nationally advertised product. This is a permanent position for salesmen living in different counties. \$1000.00 capital is required. Address Detroit Willis Light Company, 68 State street, Detroit, or phone Main 8237. 78-3-c

NOTICE—E. H. Fairchild has moved his real estate office from the Odd Fellow block to the Beehive restaurant on State st. just north of the postoffice. He will be glad to greet his old and new customers there. 39-tf-c

NOTICE—IF YOU WANT TEAMS TO WORK, WE HAVE ALWAYS GOT THEM AT THE WRIGHT HOUSE LIVERY. CALL AND SEE US. 72-tf-c

NOTICE—My wife having left my bed and board, I hereby refuse to pay any more bills contracted by her on or after this date, December 2, 1920. Leroy B. Jones. 76-3

FOR RENT—An Underwood typewriter in first class condition. Call Mrs. Fink, Phone 149. tf-pd

NOTICE—Buy baled hay and straw of Marvin-Daley Hay Co., 220 State street, Odd lots of good hay for sale cheap. Phone 252. 74-tf

NOTICE—People who consider having timber cut into lumber will communicate with G. C. Wetherbee, 628 Douglas St., Saginaw, for first class work and reasonable prices. 74-tf-cow-p

NOTICE—If you want to move and save money get Andrews & Holmes, 324 W. Superior St., or phone 352. We also have potatoes for sale. 77-4w

Delayed for Refreshments
The hour was set for the wedding, but the bride did not appear. After an hour's wait the clergyman said he could wait no longer. "Oh, please just a little longer," the mother said. Another hour of waiting and then a jubilant voice called out: "Oh, Susy, the beer has come, the beer has come!" and the bridal party immediately appeared before the weary minister.

Healthful Laughter.
Laughter is a most healthful exertion; it is one of the greatest helps to digestion with which I am acquainted; and the custom prevalent among our forefathers of eating at table by jesters and buffoons, was founded on true medical principles.—Hufeland.

Silk-Producing Insects.
The number of species of silk-producing insects is very large, probably more than 200, very few of which are of any practical value to mankind.

Make it a Southern State.
It is estimated that the state of Matto Grosso in Brazil alone ultimately can grow 20,000,000 bales of cotton annually.

NOTICE TO PINE RIVER TOWNSHIP TAXPAYERS

I will be at the First State Bank in Alma on Dec. 17, 24 and 31 and January 7, and in St. Louis at the Commercial Savings Bank on Dec. 18, 25, Jan. 1st and 8th, for the purpose of collecting taxes.

Signed: Geo. W. Towersay. 77-3-c

RUTH LITTLER HIMES
VOICE AND PIANO
STUDIO

167 Allen Ave. 77-2

BOWLING LEAGUE

Little Change in Standings During the Past Week.

While five games were bowled during the past week in the Alma Bowling league, there has been little change in the standings of the various teams. The games bowled and the standings of the teams follow:

Dec. 6th—Team No. 1
Grubb 182 122 163 467
Seig 172 189 170 531
Danford 116 139 133 383
Oakes 166 133 134 433
Mallory 157 185 172 514

793 768 772 233

Team No. 4

Minnis 163 180 123 436
Mulvey 125 180 178 483
Bensinger 110 127 166 403
Grabowski 121 135 184 440
Rogers 162 222 157 541

681 814 808 2303

Dec. 8th—Team No. 2

G. H. Brown 166 201 138 505
Devogt 165 164 172 501
Naffziger 177 194 175 546
Hanson 148 208 165 521
Johnston 159 180 184 503

815 927 834 2576

Team No. 6

Atkinson 112 156 190 458
Simonton 163 121 149 433
Smith 115 107 155 377
V. Corry 198 147 138 413
R. Corry 147 169 164 480

665 700 796 2161

Dec. 10th—Team No. 3 won three games from Team No. 5.

League Standings

Team 4 (Minnis) 24 19 5 792
Team 2 (J. Brown) 24 18 6 750
Team 1 (Oakes) 24 13 11 542
Team 3 (White) 24 11 13 458
Team 6 (Corry) 24 7 17 292
Team 5 (Martin) 24 4 20 167

MERRILL HEADS

RELIEF DRIVE

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urgent request is made that each and every church so acting in the matter be sure to report the amount of said offerings to the secretary-treasurer of the county, R. B. Wagner, in order that the county may also be given credit for such funds. This state's quota in this matter amounts to approximately one and one half million dollars of which it is hoped Gratiot county shall be able to raise \$6,500. Anticipating the appeal somewhat in advance, the Presbyterian church of our city has already pledged better than \$600.00 so that if this same ratio is continued throughout the churches and other organizations of the city, and likewise throughout the county, the committee feels it will be an easy task to raise the county's full quota. Alma's share is at least \$3,000.

This drive which is to be known as the "Hoover drive" includes assistance for the children in the same part of Europe as that which is being sought by the Literary Digest and other National magazines and likewise will include funds being raised for the Near East Relief organization. J. W. Kelder, supt. of schools has been chosen as chairman of the city of Alma and all organizations throughout the city should seek to co-operate with Kelder in this work.

Through Mr. Hoover, this appeal is being made for the four million or more children of Central and Southern Europe who must starve to death in the coming few months unless this assistance is given them by the people of the United States. The credit of these countries are absolutely gone and hence it is impossible to borrow funds on which to feed their starving people. On four previous occasions, part during the war, others since, the American people have taken the unselfish attitude towards Europe and are again called upon to share the wealth of our country with those across the sea who are in the throes of bankruptcy and starvation. Vienna alone will lose 400,000 of her children unless this help is given. The children of Poland have been so deprived of food that thousands of them are now feeding like animals on what little grass and herbs they can take from the semi-barren fields, while thousands have already died from lack of food. The amount which is being raised is based upon the estimate that \$10.00 will carry one child through until the harvest of August has been gathered. Upon this basis it is hoped that a great many families throughout our country will make their Christmas gathering many times happy by knowing that while their own children are eating in plenty they are at the same time saving the life of one, two or more children in less fortunate countries of Europe. Mr. Hoover stated in his splendid appeal made at Detroit last week, "The progress of peace is the progress of the growth of good will of mankind. That this offering to the children of Europe is virtually the planting of the American flag in the hearts of each child whose life is saved and that the American flag in the hearts of these people of Europe twenty years hence will mean more to the world and to the United States than the American flag placed on the citadel of any country of Europe."

The executive Committee hereby make their most whole hearted appeal to the people of the city and county that they go to the very limit in giving in this European crisis and if necessary, suggest that Christmas gifts be curtailed to a greater or less extent in order that this cause may be given due and just consideration. If any organizations throughout the county are missed in this appeal by the members of the county organizations, will they kindly proceed with the matter without such solicitation and send all funds to the treasurer of the county organization not later than December 31.

Close to 30 business men of the city were present at the weekly gymnastic work which is being held on Tuesday evenings from 7:00 to 8:00.

Gerhardt AND Smith's
CHRISTMAS HINTS

Children's red felt slippers	98c	Ladies' handkerchiefs from	5c to 75c
Ladies' gray felt slippers	98c	Handkerchiefs in boxes from	10c to \$2.50
Men's brown felt slippers	\$1.15	Towels in huck and turkish from	25c to \$1.15
Ladies' Juliets	\$2.25	Georgette waists from	\$3.75 to \$8.35
Ladies' silk hose at	69c, \$1.49, \$1.69 and \$1.98	Serge and silk dresses from	\$10.00 to \$38.00
Men's \$1.50 silk hose at	\$1.19	Blankets from	\$1.75 to \$9.85
Men's ties, splendid values	50c, 75c and \$1.00	Camisoles from	\$1.50 to \$2.50
Petticoats from	\$1.98 to \$8.50		

Come in and look around for we have just mentioned a few of the things we have to show

GERHARDT & SMITH

What Shall We Give Him
for Christmas

As some wit remarked—"Christmas comes when you least expect it." Truly it's here before you know it. For those who will do their Christmas shopping early we are arranging some gifts for men under convenient headings.

GIFTS AT ONE DOLLAR

Mufflers
Linen handkerchiefs
Wool or silk socks
Belts
Neckwear
Suspenders
Garter and arm bands combinations
Cuff links

GIFTS AT TWO DOLLARS

Cuff links
Underwear
Fine handkerchiefs
Night Shirts

GIFTS AT THREE DOLLARS

Shirts
Ties
Mufflers
Walking Sticks
Gloves
Pajamas
Caps
Union Suits

And other items listed above but of better quality

GIFTS AT FOUR DOLLARS

Shirts
White Gloves
Street gloves
Pajamas

GIFTS AT FIVE DOLLARS

Hats
Shirts
Union-suits
Umbrellas

Other articles mentioned above but of better quality

GIFTS BETWEEN FIVE
AND TEN DOLLARS

Fur-lined gloves
Silk shirts
Mocha gloves
Imported madras or fibre-silk shirts
Derbies for dress
Soft hats for day wear
Bath-ropes
Silk Mufflers

GIFTS AT TEN DOLLARS
AND HIGHER

Bath Robes
Silk shirts
Smoking jackets
Dressing gowns
Velour hats
Shoes
Dancing shoes
Sweaters
Suitcases
Traveling bags
Suits
Overcoats

It will pay you to do your Christmas shopping early and do it here. Satisfaction or money back. You're sure of this store.

John M. Burkheiser

Alma, Michigan

